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Corrigendum

Paragraphs 31 and 32 *should read*

31. Thus in 2006, 84 per cent of the bodies had a planning accuracy factor of 80 per cent or higher, the same figure as reported in 2004 and a 5 per cent improvement over the 2005 reporting period.

32. At 83 per cent, the overall utilization factor decreased by 2 percentage points in 2006 as compared with 2005, reverting to the same figure as reported in 2004. Improvement of the planning accuracy factor in 2006 by 5 per cent compared with 2005, as a result of better coordination between planning officers and technical secretariats, led to fewer cancellations and thus fewer reassignments. The number of reassignments declined to 59 per cent in 2006 as compared with 75 per cent in 2005 and 48 per cent in 2004. It should be noted that it was more difficult to match the time slots requested by the ad hoc intergovernmental bodies with those that became available because of the lower number of cancelled meetings. It is worth noting, however, that reassignments to related bodies increased to 32 per cent in 2006 as compared with 9 per cent in 2005 and 12 per cent in 2004. Moreover, time lost owing to late starting or early ending went down.

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Adoption of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008-2009

Note by the Secretariat

1. The present document contains the draft biennial programme of conferences and meetings of the United Nations and shows meetings of organs of the United Nations, their subsidiary bodies, special conferences and expert groups. Conferences and meetings of the main legislative and executive bodies of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations are also listed for information, with their dates and venues.

2. In considering the draft calendar for the biennium 2008-2009, the Committee on Conferences may wish to note the following meetings in particular:

2008

(a) Item 35, "United Nations Environment Programme, Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum, tenth special session". At its twenty-first session in 2001, the Governing Council decided, subject to the availability of an offer from a host country, to hold its session in alternate years in the United Nations regions, where possible, on a rotating basis, in keeping with the spirit of its decision 20/17 of 5 February 1999. The Government of Monaco has offered to host the tenth special session of the Governing Council from 20 to 22 February 2008;

(b) Item 60, "International Civil Service Commission, sixty-sixth session". In its resolution 40/243, section I, paragraph 4 (g), the General Assembly reaffirmed that the Commission should hold its regular annual session at United Nations Headquarters, and, if more than one session is required in any one year, may accept an invitation from one of its participating organizations to hold its other session or sessions at the headquarters of that particular organization. It is anticipated that the Commission will hold its fall 2008 session at the headquarters of one of the participating organizations so as to enable the members to familiarize themselves

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with conditions at other duty stations and to establish contacts with members of legislative bodies of other organizations;

(c) Item 78, "United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, twelfth session". In its resolution 60/184 of 22 December 2005, the General Assembly welcomed the generous offer by the Government of Ghana to host the twelfth session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development in 2008 and expressed its gratitude to the African Union for its support for Ghana in this connection;

(d) Item 113, "Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions". By part II, paragraph 2, of its resolution 1437 (XIV), the General Assembly authorized the Advisory Committee, in fulfilment of its functions under rule 157 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, to meet as it deems necessary and appropriate at the various offices of the United Nations and at the headquarters of the specialized agencies in order to advise the agencies on administrative and financial matters. In practice, the Advisory Committee has continued to meet outside New York along the lines authorized by the Assembly. The Advisory Committee may hold meetings at various United Nations duty stations and agencies located outside New York during May and June 2008;

(e) Item 149, "United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, fifty-fifth session". In its resolution 61/240, the General Assembly took note of the decision of the Board at its fifty-third session (see A/61/9, sect. II.B, para. 12) to revert to annual sessions as from 2007 with the aim of completing its work within five working days. It is anticipated that the Board will hold its next annual session in 2008 in Rome;

(f) Item 150, "United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Standing Committee". The mandate of the Committee was amended by the Board in its decision made at its fifty-third session (see A/61/9, sect. II.B, para. 12). The Committee will continue to hold annual meetings, but of a shorter duration, during each session of the Board;

(g) Item 151, "Investments Committee". One of the meetings of the Investments Committee is held in conjunction with the meeting of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board. The meetings of the Committee are usually held in New York except for the meeting with the Pension Board, which is held wherever the Board convenes. The Committee will hold a meeting in July 2008 in Rome in conjunction with the session of the Pension Board;

(h) Item 164, "Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, thirty-second session". In accordance with General Assembly resolution 40/243, section I, paragraph 4 (f), the decision to convene the thirty-second session of the Commission in Santo Domingo is subject to approval by the Assembly. The Economic and Social Council approved the decision at its substantive session of 2006 (see Council resolution 2006/40);

(i) Item 301, "Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to review the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus". In its resolution 61/191, the General Assembly decided to hold the Conference in Doha in the second half of 2008, at a date to be determined by the General Assembly in consultation with the host country, taking into due consideration the regular schedule of meetings of the United Nations;

2009

(j) Item 51, "International Civil Service Commission, sixty-eighth session". In its resolution 40/243, section I, paragraph 4 (g), the General Assembly reaffirmed that the Commission should hold its regular annual session at United Nations Headquarters, and, if more than one session is required in any one year, may accept an invitation from one of its participating organizations to hold its other session or sessions at the headquarters of that particular organization. It is anticipated that the Commission will hold its fall 2009 session at the headquarters of one of the participating organizations so as to enable the members to familiarize themselves with conditions at other duty stations and to establish contacts with members of legislative bodies of other organizations;

(k) Item 185, "Eighteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific". The Conference was approved by the Economic and Social Council in its decision 2007/248, by which the Council approved the provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 and 2009 in the economic, social and related fields (E/2007/L.10). However, the Council decided to postpone the consideration of the item on cartography from its 2007 substantive session to a resumed session at a later date in 2007 (see decision 2007/268). Therefore, the dates of this conference are still subject to the final decision of the Council;

(l) Item 272, "Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action". In its resolution 61/149, the General Assembly decided to convene in 2009 a review conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, to be conducted within the framework of the General Assembly.

3. The Committee's attention is drawn to the subsidiary bodies of the Human Rights Council. In its decision 1/102 of 30 June 2006, the Human Rights Council decided to extend exceptionally for one year, subject to the review to be undertaken by the Council in conformity with General Assembly resolution 60/251, the mandates and the mandate holders of all the special procedures of the Commission on Human Rights, of the Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, as well as the procedure established in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII) (1503 procedure). By its resolution 5/1 of 18 June 2007, the Human Rights Council concluded the review of some of the above-mentioned subsidiary bodies and established four new subsidiary bodies: a Human Rights Council Advisory Committee to replace the Subcommission; a Working Group on Communications and a Working Group on Situations of the Council's complaint procedure to replace those with the same titles of the former 1503 procedure; and a new Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review. The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee and the Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review are expected to hold their first meetings in 2008. The Council will decide at its sixth session, in September 2007, on the most appropriate mechanisms to continue the work of the Working Group on Indigenous Populations, the Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, the Working Group on Minorities and the Social Forum, which were subsidiary bodies of the former Subcommission. Also by its resolution 5/1, the Council renewed the mandates of the special procedures, including the following procedures, until the date on which they will be considered by the Council according to its annual programme of work:

(a) Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent;

(b) Working Group on Arbitrary Detention;

(c) Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances;

(d) Working Group on the question of the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination.

4. The mandates of the following subsidiary bodies of the Human Rights Council, which are intergovernmental and not subject to the above-mentioned review process, have been renewed for different periods:

(a) Open-ended working group on an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (mandate renewed by Human Rights Council resolution 1/3 of 29 June 2006 for a period of two years);

(b) Intergovernmental Working Group on the Effective Implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action (mandate renewed by Human Rights Council resolution 1/5 of 30 June 2006 for a period of three years);

(c) Working Group on the Right to Development (mandate renewed by Human Rights Council resolution 4/4 of 30 March 2007 for a period of two years);

(d) High-level task force on the implementation of the right to development (mandate renewed by Human Rights Council resolution 4/4 of 30 March 2007 for a period of two years).

5. The Committee may wish to be further informed that in a decision adopted at its thirty-ninth session, held in New York from 23 July to 10 August 2007, the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women has requested the General Assembly to authorize it, as a permanent measure from 2008 onwards, to hold three annual sessions of three weeks each, with a one-week pre-session working group for each session, in order to implement all its responsibilities under article 18 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women in an effective and timely manner. The Committee has also requested that its Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol be granted the opportunity to meet three times a year instead of twice a year, for a total of 10 working days, immediately prior to or after the scheduled sessions of the Committee. The Committee has recommended that one of its three annual sessions be held at United Nations Headquarters in New York so as to facilitate and encourage ongoing cooperation between the Committee and the United Nations gender equality bodies. Pending approval of the Committee's request by the General Assembly, the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 and 2009 reflects the existing mandate and entitlement of the Committee.

6. In its resolution 53/208 A of 18 December 1998, the General Assembly decided that United Nations bodies should be invited to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday and that that arrangement should be taken into account when drafting future calendars of conferences and meetings. For the next biennium, Orthodox Good Friday occurs on 25 April in 2008 and on 17 April in 2009.

Annex

Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations and of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations for 2008 and 2009

The following abbreviations are used in the present annex:

In the column headed "Organ"

ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICSC	International Civil Service Commission
IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
INSTRAW	International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
UNCCD	United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNHCR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
UNITAR	United Nations Institute for Training and Research
UNRWA	United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
UNU	United Nations University
UNWTO	United Nations World Tourism Organization
UPU	Universal Postal Union
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organization
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

In the column headed "Membership"

G	Governments
E	Experts
ST	Secretariat or secretariats

In the column headed "Servicing"

I	Interpretation
T	Translation
PV	Verbatim records
SR	Summary records
A	Arabic
C	Chinese
E	English
F	French
R	Russian
S	Spanish

A. Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations, 2008

(as at August 2007)

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
1.	Group of Governmental Experts to consider further steps to enhance cooperation with regard to the issue of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus, first session [General Assembly resolutions 61/72]	7-11 January	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
2.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270, General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	7-11 January	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
3.	Military Staff Committee [Charter]	11 January, once every fortnight thereafter	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV	Every second Friday
4.	Economic and Social Council, election of Bureau [Charter]	14 January	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
5.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, twenty-first session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	14-25 January	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
6.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, fortieth session [General Assembly resolutions 34/180][b]	14 January-1 February	Geneva	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
7.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	14 January-1 February	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
8.	States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, twenty-second meeting [General Assembly resolution 2106 (XX)][b]	17 January	New York	155 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
9.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	21-24 January	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
10.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, regular session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	21-30 January	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
11.	Human Rights Council, high-level task force on the implementation of the right to development, fourth session [Human Rights Council resolution 4/4]	24 January-1 February	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
12.	Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [General Assembly resolution 52/12 B]	25 and 28 January	New York	36 G/36 G/ 36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
13.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, second session [General Assembly resolution 58/4][b]	28 January-1 February	Indonesia	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
14.	UNICEF, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 48/162 and 57 (I)]	28 January-1 February	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
15.	Preparatory committee for the twelfth session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	January (2 weeks)	Geneva		I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
16.	Consultative Committee on the United Nations Development Fund for Women, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 31/133 and 39/125]	January	New York	5 G	—	—	—	One session per year
17.	Conference on Disarmament, first part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	January-March (10 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
18.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	January/February (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
19.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	4 February	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
20.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	4-8 February	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
21.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	4-8 February	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
22.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94][b]	4-8 February	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
23.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-first session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	4-8 February	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
24.	WFP, Executive Board, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][d]	4-8 February	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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25.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	4-15 February	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
26.	Working Group on reimbursement of contingent-owned equipment [General Assembly resolution 59/298][d]	4-22 February	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
27.	Economic and Social Council, organizational session [Charter]	5-8 February	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
28.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	5 February-25 April	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
29.	Commission for Social Development, forty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7]	6-15 February	New York	46 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
30.	Group of governmental experts to examine the feasibility, scope and draft parameters for a comprehensive, legally binding instrument for import, export and transfer of conventional arms, first session [General Assembly resolution 61/89]	11-15 February	New York	25 E	I (ACERS)	T	—	
31.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, fourth session [Part I, article 2 of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	11-15 February	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
32.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Scientific and Technical Subcommittee, forty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)]	11-22 February	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
33.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-second session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	18 February-7 March	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
34.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K]	20-22 February	New York	20 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
35.	UNEP, Global Ministerial Environment Forum, tenth special session [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185]	20-22 February	Monaco	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
36.	Panel of governmental experts on the issue of missiles in all its aspects, second session [General Assembly resolution 59/67]	25-29 February	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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37.	Human Rights Council, open-ended working group on the right to development, ninth session [Human Rights Council resolution 4/4]	25-29 February	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
38.	Commission on the Status of Women, fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council decision 1999/257]	25 February-7 March	New York	45 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
39.	Statistical Commission, thirty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8]	26-29 February	New York	24 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
40.	Preparatory committee for the twelfth session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	February (3 weeks)	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
41.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
42.	United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 46/122]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
43.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Use of Mercenaries, fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2005/255 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
44.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 36/151]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
45.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), sixty-sixth session[d]	February (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
46.	United Nations Seminar on Assistance to the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolut. ns 61/22 and 61/23]	February (2 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	
47.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees, twenty-first session [General Assembly resolution 40/131]	February/March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
48.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)]	February/March	New York	27 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[e]	

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49.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, thirty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	3-7 March	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
50.	Preparatory committee for the twelfth session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	3-14 March	Geneva		I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
51.	Human Rights Council, eighth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	3-28 March	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
52.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-second session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	10-14 March	New York	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
53.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, fifty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	10-20 March	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
54.	Committee of the Whole of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs [Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/39]	10-20 March (4 days)	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
55.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group, substantive session [General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)]	10 March-4 April	New York	119 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
56.	Committee for Development Policy, tenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46]	17-20 March	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
57.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, twenty-fourth special session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)]	17-20 March	Geneva	148 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
58.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-second session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	17 March-4 April	New York	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
59.	ICSC, sixty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX) (1974)]	24 March-4 April	New York	15 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
60.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, twenty-first session [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea][b]	31 March-4 April	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
61.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Legal Subcommittee, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 1472 (XIV)]	31 March-11 April	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[c]	One session per year
62.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter]	March (4 weeks)	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	

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63.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1][e]	March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
64.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, twenty-eighth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
65.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and second meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
66.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award [General Assembly resolution 36/201]	March/April[g] (2 days)	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T		One session per year
67.	ECA, Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, forty-first session of the Commission [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[g]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
68.	ECA, Committee of Experts of the Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, twenty-seventh meeting [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[g]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
69.	Commission on Population and Development, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55]	7-11 April	New York	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
70.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Procurement, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	7-11 April	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
71.	Group of Governmental Experts to consider further steps to enhance cooperation with regard to the issue of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus, second session [General Assembly resolution 61/72]	7-11 April	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
72.	Special high-level meetings of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and UNCTAD [General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16 and Economic and Social Council decision 2005/211]	14 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[c]	
73.	Committee of Experts on Public Administration, seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 2001/45 and 2003/60]	14-18 April	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
74.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, eighth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	14-25 April[c]	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
75.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	14-25 April[c]	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
76.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, parallel meetings for informal consultations and working groups [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/232]	14-25 April[c] (12 meetings)	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
77.	Disarmament Commission, annual session [General Assembly resolution S-10/2]	14 April-2 May[c]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
78.	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 60/184]	20-25 April[c]	Accra	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every four years
79.	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	21 April-2 May[c]	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
80.	Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on marine biological diversity [General Assembly resolution 59/24 and 61/222]	28 April-2 May	New York	192	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
81.	Committee on Information, thirtieth session [General Assembly resolution 32/115 C]	28 April-9 May	New York	108 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
82.	Preparatory Committee for the 2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, second session [General Assembly resolution 61/70][b,d]	28 April-9 May	Geneva	188 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
83.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, fortieth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	28 April-16 May	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
84.	Committee against Torture, fortieth session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	28 April-16 May	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
85.	Economic and Social Council, resumed organizational session [Charter]	29-30 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
86.	UNITAR, Board of Trustees, forty-sixth session [General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227][d]	April[c] (2-3 days)	Geneva	28 E	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
87.	United Nations International Meeting in Support of Israeli-Palestinian Peace (General Assembly resolution 61/22 and 61/23)	April[c] (3 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	

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88.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	April[g] (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
89.	ESCWA, twenty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1818 (LV), 2089 (LXIII) and 1994/26]	April[g]	Beirut	13 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session every two years
90.	Human Rights Council acting as the Preparatory Committee for the Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, second session [Human Rights Council resolution 3/2]	April/May[g] (2 weeks)	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
91.	ESCAP, sixty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)]	April/May[g]	Bangkok	53 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
92.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	April/May[g]	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
93.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	5 May	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
94.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	5-9 May	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
95.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, twenty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	5-9 May	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
96.	Commission on Sustainable Development, sixteenth session [Economic and Social Council decisions 1993/207 and 2005/228]	5-16 May	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
97.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	5-16 May	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
98.	International Law Commission, sixtieth session, first part [General Assembly resolution 174 (II)]	5 May-6 June	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
99.	Group of governmental experts to examine the feasibility, scope and draft parameters for a comprehensive, legally binding instrument for import, export and transfer of conventional arms, second session [General Assembly resolution 61/89]	12-16 May	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
100.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	19-23 May	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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101.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	19-23 May	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
102.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-second session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	19-30 May	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
103.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	19 May-6 June	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
104.	INSTRAW, Executive Board, fifth session [General Assembly resolution 59/260 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/57][d]	22 May	New York	10 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
105.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/37 and 2006/46 and decision 2003/291]	26-30 May	Geneva	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
106.	UNICEF, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	27-30 May	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
107.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, resumed session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	29 May-6 June	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
108.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter]	May (4 weeks)	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
109.	Regional seminar to review the situation in Non-Self-Governing Territories under the Second Decade on the Eradication of Colonialism [General Assembly resolution 61/130]	May (3 days)	To be determined	27 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
110.	United Nations Latin America and the Caribbean Meeting on the Question of Palestine [General Assembly resolutions 61/22 and 61/23]	May (3 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	
111.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	May (1 day)	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
112.	Conference on Disarmament, second part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	May/June (7 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year

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113.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	May-July (7 or 8 weeks)	New York and other United Nations duty stations	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
114.	Panel of governmental experts on the issue of missiles in all its aspects, third session [General Assembly resolution 59/67]	2-6 June	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
115.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	2-13 June	Geneva	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
116.	UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention [General Assembly decision 60/197][b]	2-13 June	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
117.	General meeting on cooperation between the representatives of the secretariats of the United Nations system and the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States and its specialized organizations [General Assembly resolution 61/14]	3-5 June	Vienna	27 ST	I (AEF)	T	—	One session every two years
118.	Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, ninth meeting [General Assembly resolution 60/30]	9-13 June	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
119.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	9-13 June	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
120.	WFP, Executive Board, annual session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][d]	9-13 June	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
121.	Committee on Contributions, sixty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 14 (I) A]	9-27 June	New York	18 E	I (ACEFRS)		—	One session per year
122.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	9 June-3 July	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
123.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Committee of Actuaries [General Assembly resolution 1561 (XV), article XXIX]	11-13 June	New York	5 E	—	T	—	One session per year
124.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)]	11-20 June	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV[b]	One session per year

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125.	Meeting of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, eighteenth meeting [General Assembly resolutions 37/66 and 49/28][b]	16-27 June	New York	138 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
126.	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, forty-first session [General Assembly resolution 2205 (XXI)]	16 June-11 July	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
127.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, fifth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	23-27 June	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
128.	United Nations Board of Auditors, sixty-second regular session [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)]	25-27 June	New York	3 E	I (EF)	—	—	One session per year
129.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-third session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	30 June-4 July	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
130.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	30 June-9 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
131.	Human Rights Council, working group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, sixth session [Human Rights Council resolution 1/5]	30 June-11 July	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
132.	Economic and Social Council, substantive session [Charter]	30 June-25 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
133.	Human Rights Council, ninth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	June (2 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
134.	Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies, twentieth session [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178][b]	June (1 week)	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
135.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget, fiftieth session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)]	June (1 week)	Geneva		I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
136.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), sixty-seventh session[d]	June (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year

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137.	United Nations International Conference of Civil Society in Support of Israeli-Palestinian Peace [General Assembly resolution 61/22 and 61/23]	June (2 days)	To be determined	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
138.	General Assembly, comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS [General Assembly resolution 60/262]	June	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	
139.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, twenty-ninth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
140.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and third meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
141.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)]	June/July (6-8 meetings per week, up to 30 meetings)	New York	27 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[c]	
142.	United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 A (IV)]	June/July (5 weeks)	Geneva	7 E	I (EF)	T	PV[f]	Two sessions per year
143.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 34/180][b]	June/July (3 weeks)	To be determined	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
144.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94][b]	June/July (1 week)	To be determined	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
145.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	June/July (1 week)	To be determined	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
146.	Meetings of Experts of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference][b,d]	June/July (5 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
147.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K]	June/July (3-4 days)	New York	20 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
148.	Group of Governmental Experts to consider further steps to enhance cooperation with regard to the issue of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus, third session [General Assembly resolution 61/72]	7-11 July	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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149.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolutions 248 (III), 46/200 and 61/240]	7-11 July	Rome	33 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
150.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Standing Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	7-11 July (1 meeting)	Rome	15 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
151.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	7-11 July (1 meeting)	Rome	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
152.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-third session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	7-25 July	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
153.	International Law Commission, sixtieth session, second part [General Assembly resolution 174 (II)]	7 July-8 August	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
154.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, fifteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
155.	United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 913 (X)]	10-18 July	Vienna	21 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
156.	Third Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects [General Assembly resolution 61/66]	14-18 July	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
157.	ICSC, sixty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX) (1974)]	14-25 July	To be determined	15 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
158.	Human Rights Council, open-ended working group to elaborate an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, fifth session [Human Rights Council resolution 1/3]	21-31 July	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
159.	Group of governmental experts to examine the feasibility, scope and draft parameters for a comprehensive, legally binding instrument for import, export and transfer of conventional arms, third session [General Assembly resolution 61/89]	28 July-8 August	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
160.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-third session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	28 July-15 August	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year

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161.	UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
162.	International Law Seminar [General Assembly resolution 49/51]	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	30 E	I (EFS)	—	—	One session per year
163.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council decision 16 (LVI) and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	July/August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
164.	ECLAC, thirty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 106 (VI and 2006/40 and decision 1985/188]	21-25 July	Santo Domingo	42 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session every two years
165.	Conference on Disarmament, third part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	July-September (7 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
166.	Human Rights Council Advisory Committee, first session [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	4-15 August	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
167.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea][b]	18-22 August	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
168.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
169.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	2 September-19 December	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
170.	Twenty-sixth Meeting of States Parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	4 September	New York	145 G	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
171.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	8 September	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
172.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	8-12 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
173.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	8-12 September	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	

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174.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, fifty-first session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)]	8-12 September	Geneva	-	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
175.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Procurement, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	8-12 September	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
176.	Human Rights Council, tenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	8-26 September	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
177.	UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	15-19 September[1]	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
178.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	15-19 September	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
179.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	15 September-3 October	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
180.	General Assembly, sixty-third session [Charter]	16 September-December	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV/SR[1]	
181.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)]	29 September-10 October	Geneva	148 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
182.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
183.	Committee on Conferences, substantive session [General Assembly resolution 43/222 B]	September (5 days)[1]	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
184.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), sixty-eighth session[d]	September (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
185.	UNRWA, Advisory Commission [General Assembly resolution 302 (IV)]	September (1 day)	Amman	10 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
186.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and fourth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
187.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirtieth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year

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188.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	September/October (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
189.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	6-10 October	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
190.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	6-10 October	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
191.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime, and its Protocols, fourth session [General Assembly resolution 55/25][b]	6-15 October	Vienna	129 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
192.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	13-31 October	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
193.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, twenty-second session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	20-24 October	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
194.	WFP, Executive Board, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][d]	27-31 October	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
195.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Electronic Commerce, forty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	28-31 October	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
196.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-third session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	28 October-14 November	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
197.	Human Rights Council acting as the Preparatory Committee for the Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, third session [Human Rights Council resolution 3/2]	October (2 weeks)	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
198.	UNHCR, Executive Committee, fifty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)]	October (1 week)	Geneva	72 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
199.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151]	October (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
200.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	October	New York	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
201.	United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 (IV)]	October/November (5 weeks)[c]	New York	7 E	I (EF)	T	FV[f]	Two sessions per year

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202.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	3-21 November	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
203.	Committee against Torture, forty-first session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	3-21 November	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
204.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	10 November	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
205.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, sixth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	17-21 November	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
206.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, twenty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	17-21 November	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
207.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, thirty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	17-21 November	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
208.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-third session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	19-28 November	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
209.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	24-28 November	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
210.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	24-28 November	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
211.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, ninth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
212.	States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction, eighth session [article 11, paragraph 2, of the Convention][b,d]	November (5 days)	To be determined	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
213.	Conference of the States Parties and Annual meeting of States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [Convention][b,d]	November (3 days)	Geneva	89 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
214.	Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, forty-third session [General Assembly resolution 2099 (XX)]	November (2 days)[i]	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
215.	United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities [General Assembly resolution 32/197]	November (1 day)	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
216.	Annual Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol II to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [article 13, paragraph 1, of the Amended Protocol][b,d]	November (1 day)	Geneva	69 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
217.	Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol V to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [article 10 of the Amended Protocol][b,d]	November (1 day)	Geneva	29 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
218.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [General Assembly resolution 1729 (XVI)]	November[i] (1 meeting)	New York	194 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
219.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters, fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV) and 2004/69]	November/ December (1 week)	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
220.	Annual meeting of the States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference][b,d]	November/ December (1 week)	Geneva	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
221.	Disarmament Commission, organizational session [General Assembly resolution S-10/2]	November/ December (1-2 days)[i]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
222.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, Special Meeting in Observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolutions 32/40 B and 33/28]	1 December	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
223.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	1-9 December	Geneva	22 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
224.	UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, fourteenth session and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/197][b]	1-12 December	Poznan, Poland	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
225.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, sixteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
226.	Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	12 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
227.	Twelfth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child [General Assembly resolution 44/25][b]	16 December	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
228.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
229.	Human Rights Council, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
230.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
231.	UNU, Council, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)]	December (1 week)	Tokyo	28 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
232.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), sixty-ninth session[d]	December (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
233.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [General Assembly resolution 55/75]	December (1 meeting)	Geneva	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
234.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-first meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
235.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and fifth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four sessions per year
236.	Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency [General Assembly resolutions 347 (IV) and 1438 (XIV)]	December	To be determined	9 E	I (EF)	—	—	One session per year
237.	UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
238.	UNCTAD, seminars and study groups [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
239.	UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
240.	UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (3 days)	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
241.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
242.	UNICEF, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
243.	Economic and Social Council, formal/informal meetings [Charter and General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16]	As required	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[e]	As required

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
244.	**Trusteeship Council (and drafting committees) [Charter]**	As required	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV[c]	As required
245.	**Security Council [Charter]**	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	As required
246.	**Security Council Committee of Experts [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1st meeting, 1946]**	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
247.	**Security Council, Committee on the Admission of New Members [decision taken by the Security Council at its 42nd meeting, 1946]**	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
248.	**Security Council, Committee on Council Meetings away from Headquarters [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1625th meeting]**	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
249.	Security Council Commission established under Security Council resolution 446 (1979)	As required	New York	3 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
250.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
251.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
252.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
253.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
254.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
255.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
256.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
257.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
258.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
259.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
260.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
261.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
262.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) concerning the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
263.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
264.	United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine [General Assembly resolution 194 (III)]	As required	New York	3 G	I (EF)	T	—	As required
265.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group [General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)]	As required	New York	119 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
266.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolution 3376 (XXX)]	As required	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
267.	Committee on Conferences [General Assembly resolution 43/222 B]	As required	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
268.	Committee on Relations with the Host Country [General Assembly resolution 2819 (XXVI)]	As required	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
269.	ECE, committees and working groups [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	As required	Geneva	55 G	To be determined	T	—	As required
270.	Human Rights Council, organizational and intersessional meetings and special sessions [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	As required	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[e]	As required
271.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991)[d]	As required	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
272.	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [Security Council resolution 808 (1993) and General Assembly resolution 47/235][d]	As required	The Hague	11 E	I (EF)	T	—	As required

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
273.	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [Security Council resolution 955 (1994)][d]	As required	Arusha	11 E	I (EF)	T	—	As required
274.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
275.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Communications [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
276.	Group of governmental experts of the States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [Decision of the States parties, December 2001][b,d]	To be determined (20-25 days)	Geneva	90 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
277.	Ad Hoc Committee of the Human Rights Council on the Elaboration of Complementary Standards in the Field of Racism [Human Rights Council decision 3/103]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
278.	Committee on the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities [General Assembly resolution 61/106 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities][b]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	12 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
279.	UNCCD, Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention, seventh session [General Assembly resolution 60/201][b]	To be determined (8 days)	Bonn	185 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
280.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Minorities [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/246 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (5 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
281.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Indigenous Populations, twenty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (5 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
282.	Human Rights Council, intersessional forum on economic, social and cultural rights (Social Forum), seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2003/264 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 days)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
283.	Commission on Sustainable Development, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1997/63]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
284.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
285.	Fifteenth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	To be determined	New York	163 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
286.	Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics [Economic and Social Council decision 2007/14]	To be determined	New York	54 G	—	T	—	
287.	High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Financial Situation of the United Nations [General Assembly resolution 49/143]	To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
288.	Informal Open-ended Working Group on an Agenda for Peace and/or its subgroups [General Assembly resolution 47/120]	To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
289.	Peacebuilding Commission [General Assembly resolution 60/180]	To be determined	New York	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
290.	UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
291.	UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	[c]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
292.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
293.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
294.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
295.	UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva		I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
296.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177 and article 26 of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances][b]	To be determined	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
297.	First Meeting of States parties to the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177][b]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
298.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, African region, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11]	To be determined	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
299.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Asia and the Pacific region, thirty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15]	To be determined	Bangkok	51 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
300.	Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to review the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus [General Assembly resolution 61/191]	To be determined (Third or Fourth quarter)	Doha	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
301.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean region, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15]	To be determined	Santiago	41 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
302.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Sub-commission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)]	To be determined	A capital in the region	23 G	I (AER)	T	—	One session per year
303.	United Nations Board of Auditors, special session [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)]	To be determined	To be determined	3 E	—	—	—	One session per year
304.	Africa Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
305.	Asia and Pacific Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	Bangkok	52 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	
306.	Meeting between the representatives of the secretariats of the United Nations system and the Organization of the Islamic Conference and its specialized institutions [General Assembly resolution 61/49]	To be determined	To be determined	27 ST	I (AEF)	T	—	One session every two years

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[b] Treaty bodies.

[c] Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

[d] Conference services are funded from outside the regular budget of the United Nations.

[e] For plenary meetings only.

[f] When holding oral hearings.

[g] Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 59/265 and as decided by the Assembly previously, United Nations intergovernmental bodies are requested to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday, which falls on 25 April 2008.

[h] The General Assembly, in paragraph 8 of its resolution 53/45, noted with satisfaction that, in accordance with paragraph 9 of Assembly resolution 52/56, the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, at its forty-first session, had reviewed further its requirements for unedited verbatim transcripts and agreed to continue the use of those transcripts.

[i] Subject to the approval of the General Assembly.

[j] It has been the practice to provide verbatim records for plenary and First Committee meetings only.

B. List of bodies whose mandates are to be presented for renewal to the General Assembly at its sixty-second session

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]		*Periodicity*
1.	Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [General Assembly resolution 3349 (XXIX)]	25 February-7 March	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
2.	Ad Hoc Committee established by General Assembly resolution 51/210 of 17 December 1996 [General Assembly resolution 61/40]	7-11 April	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
3.	Ad Hoc Committee on Criminal Accountability of United Nations Officials and Experts on Mission [General Assembly resolution 61/29]	14-24 April	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
4.	Open-ended working group for the fourth special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament [General Assembly resolution 61/60]	To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
5.	Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [General Assembly resolution 2656 (XXV)]	To be determined	New York	9 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
6.	Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters Related to the Security Council [General Assembly resolution 48/26]	To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
7.	Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories [General Assembly resolution 2443 (XXIII)]	To be determined	Geneva	3 G	I (AEF)	T	PV[b]

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[b] When holding oral hearings.

C. Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations, 2009

(as at August 2007)

	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
1.	Military Staff Committee [Charter]	9 January, once every fortnight thereafter	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV	Every second Friday
2.	Economic and Social Council, election of Bureau [Charter]	15 January	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
3.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	19-22 January	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
4.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, regular session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	19-30 January	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
5.	Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [General Assembly resolution 52/12 B]	23 and 26 January	New York	36 G/36 G/ 36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
6.	UNICEF, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 48/162 and 57 (I)]	27-30 January	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
7.	Human Rights Council, high-level task force on the implementation of the right to development, fifth session [Human Rights Council resolution 4/4]	January (7 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
8.	Consultative Committee on the United Nations Development Fund for Women, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 31/133 and 39/125]	January	New York	5 G	—	—	—	One session per year
9.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-second meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	January	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
10.	Conference on Disarmament, first part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	January-March (10 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
11.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	January/February (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
12.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 34/180][b]	January/February (3 weeks)	Geneva	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
13.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	January/February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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14.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	January/February (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
15.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Procurement, fifteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	2-6 February	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
16.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-fourth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	2-6 February	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
17.	WFP, Executive Board, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][c]	2-6 February	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
18.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	3 February-24 April	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
19.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	9-13 February	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
20.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Scientific and Technical Subcommittee, forty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)]	9-20 February	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
21.	Economic and Social Council, organizational session [Charter]	10-13 February	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
22.	Commission for Social Development, forty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7]	11-20 February	New York	46 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
23.	UNEP, Governing Council/Global Ministerial Forum, twenty-fifth session [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185]	16-20 February	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
24.	Intergovernmental preparatory meeting for the seventeenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development [Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/61]	23-27 February	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
25.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group, substantive session [General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)]	23 February-20 March	New York	119 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
26.	Statistical Commission, fortieth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8]	24-27 February	New York	24 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
27.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	February (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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28.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
29.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
30.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
31.	United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 46/122]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
32.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, seventh session [Part I, article 2 of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
33.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Use of Mercenaries, fifth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2005/255 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
34.	Human Rights Council, open-ended working group on the right to development, tenth session [Human Rights Council resolution 4/4]	February (1 week)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		
35.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
36.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K]	February (3-4 days)	New York	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
37.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), seventieth session[c]	February (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
38.	United Nations Seminar on Assistance to the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolutions 61/22 and 61/23]	February (2 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	
39.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	February	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year

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40.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	February/March (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
41.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees, twenty-second session [General Assembly resolution 40/131]	February/March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
42.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)]	February/March	New York	27 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[d]	
43.	Commission on the Status of Women, fifty-third session [Economic and Social Council decision 1999/257]	2-13 March	New York	45 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
44.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	9-13 March	New York	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
45.	Committee for Development Policy, eleventh session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46]	9-13 March	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
46.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	10-19 March	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
47.	Committee of the Whole of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs [Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/39]	10-19 March (4 days)	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
48.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	16 March-3 April	New York	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
49.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea][b]	23-27 March	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
50.	ICSC, sixty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)]	23 March-3 April	New York	15 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
51.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Legal Subcommittee, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 1472 (XIV)]	23 March-3 April	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[d]	One session per year
52.	Commission on Population and Development, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55]	30 March-3 April	New York	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
53.	Committee of Experts on Public Administration, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 2001/45 and 2003/60]	30 March-3 April	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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54.	Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme, twenty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/1 and General Assembly resolution 56/206]	30 March-3 April	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
55.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter]	March (4 weeks)	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
56	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
57.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and sixth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
58.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, extraordinary meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
59.	Human Rights Council, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	March/April[e] (3-4 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
60.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award [General Assembly resolution 36/201]	March/April[e] (2 days)	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T	—	
61.	ECA, Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, forty-second session of the Commission [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[e]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
62.	ECA, Committee of Experts of the Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, twenty-eighth meeting [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[e]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
63.	Disarmament Commission [General Assembly resolution S-10/2]	13 April-1 May[c]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
64.	Special high-level meetings of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and UNCTAD [General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16 and Economic and Social Council decision 2005/211]	20 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[d]	
65.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, twenty-third session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	20-24 April	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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66.	United Nations Forum on Forests [Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/49]	20 April-1 May	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
67.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	21-29 April	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
68.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, parallel meetings for informal consultations and working groups [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/232]	21-29 April (12 meetings)	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
69.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Electronic Commerce, forty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	27 April-1 May	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
70.	Economic and Social Council, resumed organizational session [Charter]	29-30 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
71.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, tenth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	April[c] (2 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
72.	United Nations International Meeting in Support of Israeli-Palestinian Peace [General Assembly resolutions 61/22 and 61/23]	April[c] (3 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	
73.	UNITAR, Board of Trustees, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227][c]	April[c] (2-3 days)	Geneva	28 E	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
74.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	April[c] (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
75.	ECE, sixty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV) and 2006/38]	April[c]	Geneva	56 G	I (EFR)	T	—	One session every two years
76.	Committee against Torture, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	April[c]/May (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
77.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	April[c]/May (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
78.	ESCAP, sixty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)]	April[c]/May	Bangkok	53 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
79.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	April[c]/May	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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80.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	April/May	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
81.	Committee on Information, thirty-first session [General Assembly resolution 33/115 C]	4-15 May	New York	110 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
82.	Commission on Sustainable Development, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council decisions 1993/207 and 2005/228]	4-15 May	New York	53 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
83.	Preparatory Committee for the 2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, third session [General Assembly resolution 61/70][b,c]	4-15 May	New York	188 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
84.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-fifth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	11-22 May	Vienna	13 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
85.	High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, sixteenth session, organizational session [General Assembly resolutions 33/134 and 58/220]	12 May	New York	195 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
86.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	12 May-24 July	New York and other United Nations duty stations	16 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
87.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, thirty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	18-22 May	New York	60 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
88.	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	18-29 May	New York	16 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
89.	United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, fifty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 913 (X)]	25-29 May	Vienna	21 G	1 (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
90.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, fifteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	26-29 May	New York	60 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
91.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	26 May-5 June	New York	36 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
92.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter]	May (4 weeks)	New York	192 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
93.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review, [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	May (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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94.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, thirtieth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
95.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
96.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/37 and 2006/46 and decision 2003/291]	May (1 week)	Geneva	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
97.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
98.	Regional seminar to review the situation in Non-Self-Governing Territories under the Second Decade on the Eradication of Colonialism [General Assembly resolution 61/130]	May (3 days)	To be determined	27 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
99.	United Nations Asian Meeting on the Question of Palestine [General Assembly resolutions 61/22 and 61/23]	May (3 days)	To be determined	192 G	To be determined	T	—	
100.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	May (1 day)	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
101.	Conference on Disarmament, second part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	May/June (7 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
102.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	May/June (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
103.	International Law Commission, sixty-first session, first part [General Assembly resolution 174 (II)]	May/June	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
104.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, resumed session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	1-5 June	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
105.	UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention [General Assembly decision 60/197][b]	1-12 June	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
106.	Committee on Contributions, sixty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 14 (I) A]	1-26 June	New York	18 E	I (ACEFRS)		—	One session per year

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107.	High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, sixteenth session [General Assembly resolutions 33/134 and 58/220]	2-5 June	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
108.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)]	3-12 June	Vienna	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV[f]	One session per year
109.	UNICEF, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	8-12 June	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
110.	WFP, Executive Board, annual session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][c]	8-12 June	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
111.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	8 June-2 July	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
112.	Meeting of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, nineteenth session [General Assembly resolutions 37/66 and 49/28][b]	22-26 June	New York	138 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
113.	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 2205 (XXI)]	22 June-17 July	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
114.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	29 June-3 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
115.	Human Rights Council, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	June (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
116.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	June (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
117.	Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies, twenty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178][b]	June (1 week)	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
118.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget , fifty-second session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)]	June (1 week)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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119.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, eighth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	June (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
120.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), seventy-first session[c]	June (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
121.	United Nations International Conference of Civil Society in Support of Israeli-Palestinian Peace [General Assembly resolutions 61/22 and 61/23]	June (2 days)	To be determined	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
122.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Committee of Actuaries [General Assembly resolution 1561 (XV), article XXIX]	June	New York	5 E	—	T	—	One session per year
123.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-third meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
124.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and seventh meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
125.	United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 A (IV)]	June/July (5 weeks)	Geneva	7 E	I (EF)	T	PV[b]	Two sessions per year
126.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 34/180][b]	June/July (3 weeks)	To be determined	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
127.	Human Rights Council, working group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, seventh session [Human Rights Council resolution 1/5]	June/July (2 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
128.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	June/July (1 week)	To be determined	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
129.	Meeting of experts of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference][b,c]	June/July (5 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
130.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K]	June/July (3-4 days)	New York	20 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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131.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)]	June–July (6-8 meetings per week, up to 30 meetings)	New York	27 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[c]	
132.	United Nations Board of Auditors, sixty-third regular session [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)]	1 and 2 July	New York	3 E	I (EF)	—	—	One session per year
133.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	6-8 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
134.	Economic and Social Council, substantive session [Charter]	6-31 July	Geneva	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
135.	ICSC, sixty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)]	13-24 July	To be determined	15 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
136.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	July (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
137.	Human Rights Council, open-ended working group to elaborate an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, sixth session [Human Rights Council resolution 1/3]	July (2 weeks)	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
138.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94][b]	July (1 week)	To be determined	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
139.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	July (1 week)	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
140.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolutions 248 (III),46/200 and 61/240]	July (5 days)	New York	33 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
141.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	July	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
142.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Standing Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	July	New York	15 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
143.	UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
144.	International Law Commission, sixty-first session, second part [General Assembly resolution 174 (II)]	July/August	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year

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145.	Conference on Disarmament, third part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L]	July/ September (7 weeks)	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
146.	International Law Seminar [General Assembly resolution 49/51]	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	30 E	I (EFS)	—	—	One session per year
147.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
148.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, thirty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 16 (LVI) and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	July/August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
149.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, twenty-fourth session [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea][b]	24-28 August	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
150.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
151.	Human Rights Council Advisory Committee, second session [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	18E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
152.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Procurement, sixteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	7-11 September	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
153.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	8-11 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
154.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)]	8 September-18 December	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
155.	UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	14-18 September[c]	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
156.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	14-18 September	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
157.	General Assembly, sixty-fourth session [Charter]	15 September-December	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV/ SR[d]	
158.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, twenty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	28 September-2 October	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
159.	Human Rights Council, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	September (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year

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160.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
161.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, fifty-third session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)]	September (1 week)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
162.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, tenth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
163.	Committee on Conferences, substantive session [General Assembly resolution 43/222 B]	September (5 days)[i]	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
164.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), seventy-second session[c]	September (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
165.	UNRWA, Advisory Commission [General Assembly resolution 302 (IV)]	September (1 day)	Amman	10 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
166.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and eighth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
167.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-fourth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
168.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	September/ October (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
169.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	September/ October (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	—	—	—	Three sessions of one meeting each per year
170.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Electronic Commerce, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	5-9 October	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
171.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, third session [General Assembly resolution 58/4][b]	19-23 October	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
172.	WFP, Executive Board, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][c]	26-30 October	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
173.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)]	October (2 weeks)	Geneva	148 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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174.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	October (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
175.	UNHCR, Executive Committee, sixtieth session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)]	October (1 week)	Geneva	72 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
176.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	October (1 week)	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
177.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, thirtieth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151]	October (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
178.	General Assembly, high-level dialogue on financing for development [General Assembly resolution 57/250]	October (3 days)	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session every two years
179.	Twelfth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	October (1 day)	Geneva	139 G	I (EFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
180.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	October	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
181.	United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 (IV)]	October/ November (5 weeks)[c]	New York	7 E	I (EF)	T	PV[b]	Two sessions per year
182.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	October/ November (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
183.	Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)]	October/ November	New York	11-12 E	—	—	—	Four or five meetings per year
184.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-sixth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	3-20 November	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
185.	Eighteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific (Economic and Social Council decision 2007/248)	16-20 November	Bangkok	51G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session every three years
186.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, thirty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	23-27 November	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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187.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, Special Meeting in Observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolutions 32/40 B and 33/28]	30 November	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
188.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	30 November-9 December	Geneva	22 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
189.	UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, fifteenth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/197][b]	30 November-11 December	Copenhagen	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
190.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
191.	Committee against Torture, forty-third session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
192.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, thirty-first session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	November (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
193.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, ninth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
194.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
195.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	November (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
196.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	November (8 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
197.	States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction, eighth session [article 11, paragraph 2, of the Convention][b, c]	November (5 days)	To be determined	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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198.	Conference of the States Parties and annual meeting of States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [Convention][b,c]	November (3 days)	Geneva	89 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
199.	Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, forty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2099 (XX)]	November (2 days)[f]	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
200.	United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities [General Assembly resolution 32/197]	November (1 day)	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
201.	Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol V to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [article 10 of the Amended Protocol][b,c]	November (1 day)	Geneva	29 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
202.	Annual Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol II to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [article 13, paragraph 1, of the Amended Protocol][b,c]	November (1 day)	Geneva	69 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
203.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [General Assembly resolution 1729 (XVI)]	November (1 meeting)[f]	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
204.	Human Rights Council, fifteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	November/ December (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year
205.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV) and 2004/69]	November/ December (5 days)	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
206.	Annual meeting of the States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference][b,c]	November/ December (5 days)	Geneva	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
207.	Disarmament Commission, organizational session [General Assembly resolution S-10/2]	November/ December (1-2 days)[f]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year

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208.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, resumed fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	1 and 2 December	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
209.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, resumed eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	3 and 4 December	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
210.	UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, sixteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92]	7-11 December	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
211.	Fourth meeting of the States parties to the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families [General Assembly resolution 57/218][b]	9 December	New York	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
212.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
213.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
214.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
215.	UNU, Council, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)]	December (1 week)	Tokyo	28 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
216.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), seventy-third session[c]	December (2 days)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Four sessions per year
217.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [General Assembly resolution 55/75]	December (1 meeting)	Geneva	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
218.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-fifth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
219.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and ninth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four sessions per year
220.	UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required

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221.	UNCTAD, seminars and study groups [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
222.	UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
223.	UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	As required (3 days)	Geneva	[g]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
224.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
225.	UNICEF, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
226.	Economic and Social Council, formal/informal meetings [Charter and General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16]	As required	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[d]	As required
227.	Trusteeship Council (and drafting committees) [Charter]	As required	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV[d]	As required
228.	Security Council [Charter]	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	As required
229.	Security Council Committee of Experts [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1st meeting, 1946]	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
230.	Security Council, Committee on the Admission of New Members [decision taken by the Security Council at its 42nd meeting, 1946]	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
231.	Security Council, Committee on Council Meetings away from Headquarters [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1625th meeting]	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
232.	Security Council Commission established under Security Council resolution 446 (1979)	As required	New York	3 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
233.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
234.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
235.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required

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236.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
237.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
238.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
239.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
240.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
241.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
242.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
243.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
244.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
245.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) concerning the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
246.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006)	As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
247.	United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine [General Assembly resolution 194 (III)]	As required	New York	3 G	I (EF)	T	—	As required
248.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group [General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)]	As required	New York	119 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
249.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolution 3376 (XXX)]	As required	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
250.	Committee on Conferences [General Assembly resolution 43/222 B]	As required	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
251.	Committee on Relations with the Host Country [General Assembly resolution 2819 (XXVI)]	As required	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
252.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991)[b]	As required	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required

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253.	Human Rights Council, organizational and intersessional meetings and special sessions [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	As required	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[d]	As required
254.	ECE, committees and working groups [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	As required	Geneva	55 G	To be determined	T	—	As required
255.	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [Security Council resolution 808 (1993) and General Assembly resolution 47/235][e]	As required	The Hague	11 E	I (EF)	T	—	As required
256.	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [Security Council resolution 955 (1994)][e]	As required	Arusha	11 E	I (EF)	T	—	As required
257.	Group of governmental experts of the States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects, twelfth session [Decision of the States parties, December 2001][b,c]	To be determined (20-25 days)	Geneva	90 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
258.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
259.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Communications [Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
260.	Ad Hoc Committee of the Human Rights Council on the Elaboration of Complementary Standards in the Field of Racism [Human Rights Council decision 3/103]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
261.	Committee on Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities [General Assembly resolution 61/106 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities][b]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	12 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
262.	UNCCD, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, ninth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/201][b]	To be determined (2 weeks)	Bonn	185 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
263.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Minorities, fifteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/246 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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264.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Indigenous Populations, twenty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	1 (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
265.	Human Rights Council, intersessional forum on economic, social and cultural rights (Social Forum) [Economic and Social Council decision 2003/264 and General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]	To be determined (2 days)	Geneva	10 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
266.	Commission on Sustainable Development, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1997/63]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	53 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
267.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	19 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
268.	United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names, twenty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 715 A (XXVII) and 1314 (XLIV)]	To be determined	New York	80 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
269.	INSTRAW, Executive Board, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 59/260 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/57][c]	To be determined	New York	10 E	1 (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
270.	Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics [Economic and Social Council decision 2007/14]	To be determined	New York	54 G	—	T	—	
271.	Ninth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas [Economic and Social Council decision 2005/231]	To be determined	New York	41 G	1 (EFS)	T		One session every four years
272.	Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action [General Assembly resolution 61/149]	To be determined	New York	192 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	PV	
273.	Ad Hoc Committee on the Indian Ocean [General Assembly resolution 60/48]	To be determined	New York	43 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
274.	High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Financial Situation of the United Nations [General Assembly resolution 49/143]	To be determined	New York	192 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
275.	Informal Open-ended Working Group on an Agenda for Peace and/or its subgroups [General Assembly resolution 47/120]	To be determined	New York	192 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
276.	Peacebuilding Commission [General Assembly resolution 60/180 and Security Council resolution 1645 (2005)]	To be determined	New York	To be determined	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
277.	UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	[a]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
278.	UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	[a]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
279.	UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167]	To be determined	Geneva	[a]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
280.	Human Rights Council acting as the Preparatory Committee for the Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, fourth session [Human Rights Council resolution 3/2]	To be determined	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
281.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177 and article 26 of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances][b]	To be determined	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
282.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
283.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
284.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
285.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, European region, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1993/36 and 2005/28]	To be determined	Vienna	55 G	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
286.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, African region, nineteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11]	To be determined	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
287.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Asia and the Pacific region, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15]	To be determined	Bangkok	51 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
288.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean region, nineteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15]	To be determined	Santiago	41 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
289.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East, forty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)]	To be determined	A capital in the region	23 G	I (AER)	T	—	One session per year
290.	Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency [General Assembly resolutions 347 (IV) and 1438 (XIV)]	To be determined	To be determined	9 E	I (EF)	—	—	One session per year
291.	United Nations Board of Auditors, special session [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)]	To be determined	To be determined	3 E	—	—	—	One session per year
292.	General meeting of representatives of the United Nations system and of the Organization of American States [General Assembly resolution 55/15]	To be determined	To be determined	To be determined	—	T	—	One session every two years
293.	Western Asia Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 51/171]	To be determined	Beirut	13 G	I (AEF)	T	—	
294.	Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 51/171]	To be determined	Santiago	41 G	I (EFS)	T	—	

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[a] The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated. Languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned and, in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.

[b] Treaty bodies.

[c] Conference services are funded from outside the regular budget of the United Nations.

[d] For plenary meetings only.

[e] Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 59/265 and as decided by the Assembly previously, United Nations intergovernmental bodies are requested to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday, which falls on 17 April 2009.

[f] The General Assembly, in paragraph 8 of its resolution 53/45, noted with satisfaction that, in accordance with paragraph 9 of Assembly resolution 52/56, the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, at its forty-first session, had reviewed further its requirements for unedited verbatim transcripts and agreed to continue the use of those transcripts.

[g] Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

[h] When holding oral hearings.

[i] Subject to the approval of the General Assembly.

[j] It has been the practice to provide verbatim records for plenary and First Committee meetings only.

D. Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations, 2008

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*
1.	ICAO Committee	14 January-1 February	Montreal
2.	UPU, Postal Operations Council	24 January-1 February	Berne
3.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-second session	January	Geneva
4.	UPU, Council of Administration	4-8 February	Berne
5.	IFAD, Governing Council	11-15 February	Rome
6.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirtieth session	18-29 February	Vienna
7.	ICAO, Council	18 February-14 March	Montreal
8.	IAEA, Board of Governors	3-7 March	Vienna
9.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	March	Geneva
10.	ICAO, Committee	14 April-2 May	Montreal
11.	IFAD, Executive Board	23 and 24 April	Rome
12.	UNESCO, Executive Board	April	Paris
13.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee	5-9 May	Vienna
14.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-fourth session	14-16 May	Vienna
15.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirty-first session, first part	19-30 May	Vienna
16.	ICAO, Council	20 May-13 June	Montreal
17.	WHO, Sixty-first World Health Assembly	May	Geneva
18.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-third session	May	Geneva
19.	ILO, General Conference	May/June	Geneva
20.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-third session	May/June	To be determined
21.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group and informal/expert meetings, thirty-third session	2-4 June	Vienna
22.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, resumed session	2-6 June	New York
23.	IAEA, Board of Governors	9-13 June	Vienna

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*
24.	WMO, Executive Council, sixtieth session	17-27 June	Geneva
25.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, thirtieth session	24-27 June	Vienna
26.	International Seabed Authority, Assembly, fourteenth session	26 May-6 June	Kingston
27.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	June	Geneva
28.	FAO, Council	June	Rome
29.	IMO, Council	June	London
30.	UPU, Congress, twenty-fourth session	13 August-3 September	Nairobi
31.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirty-first session, second part	18 August-5 September	Vienna
32.	UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee, twenty-fourth session	2-4 September	Vienna
33.	IFAD, Executive Board	10-11 September	Rome
34.	IAEA, Board of Governors	22-26 September	Vienna
35.	IAEA, General Conference, fifty-second session	29 September-3 October	Vienna
36.	WIPO, Assemblies of Member States	September/October	Geneva
37.	IAEA, Board of Governors	6 October	Vienna
38.	ICAO, Committee	6-24 October	Montreal
39.	Annual meetings of the Boards of Governors of the World Bank Group and the International Monetary Fund	13 October	Washington, D.C.
40.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings, thirty-fourth session	20-22 October	Vienna
41.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-fourth session	October/November	To be determined
42.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	2-17 November	Geneva
43.	ICAO, Council	10 November-5 December	Montreal
44.	ITU, Council	12-21 November	Geneva
45.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, thirty-first session	17-21 November	Vienna
46.	FAO, Council	20-25 November	Rome
47.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee	24-26 November	Vienna
48.	IAEA, Board of Governors	27 and 28 November	Vienna
49.	IMO, Council Extraordinary Session	November	London
50.	IMO, Assembly	November	London

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*
51.	IMO, Council	November	London
52.	Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, thirteenth session	November	The Hague
53.	FAO, Conference	November/December	Rome
54.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-fifth session	1-5 December	Vienna
55.	IFAD, Executive Board	17 and 18 December	Rome
56.	FAO, Council	December	Rome
57.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, Budget and Finance Committee	To be determined	The Hague
58.	UNESCO, Executive Board	To be determined	Paris

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	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*
1.	ICAO, Committee	12-30 January	Montreal
2.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-fourth session	January	Geneva
3.	UPU, Postal Operations Council	January/February	Berne
4.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirty-second session	9-27 February	Vienna
5.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee	16 February	Vienna
6.	ICAO, Council	16 February-13 March	Montreal
7.	UPU, Council of Administration	February	Berne
8.	IFAD, Governing Council	February	Rome
9.	IAEA, Board of Governors	2-6 March	Vienna
10.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	March	Geneva
11.	ICAO, Committee	13 April-1 May	Montreal
12.	IFAD, Executive Board	April	Rome
13.	UNESCO, Executive Board	April	Paris
14.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee	4-8 May	Vienna
15.	UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee, twenty-fifth session	4-8 May	Vienna
16.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirty-third session, first part	11-22 May	Vienna
17.	ICAO, Council	19 May-12 June	Montreal
18.	WHO, Sixty-second World Health Assembly	May	Geneva
19.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-fifth session	May	Geneva
20.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-fifth session	May/June	To be determined
21.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings, thirty-fifth session	2-5 June	Vienna
22.	IAEA, Board of Governors	15-19 June	Vienna
23.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-sixth session	22-26 June	Vienna

	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*
24.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, thirty-second session	29 June-3 July	Vienna
25.	WMO, Executive Council, sixty-first session	June	Geneva
26.	ILO, General Conference	June	Geneva
27.	FAO, Council	June	Rome
28.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	June	Geneva
29.	IMO, Council	June	London
30.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings, thirty-third session, second part	24 August-4 September	Vienna
31.	IAEA, Board of Governors	7-11 September	Vienna
32.	IAEA, General Conference, fifty-third session	14 September-18 October	Vienna
33.	ITU, Council	15-25 September	Geneva
34.	IAEA, Board of Governors	22 September	Vienna
35.	IFAD, Executive Board	September	Rome
36.	Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty	September	New York
37.	WIPO, Assemblies of Member States	September/October	Geneva
38.	UNESCO, General Conference, thirty-fifth session	September/October	Paris
39.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings, thirty-sixth session	5-9 October	Vienna
40.	ICAO, Committee	5-23 October	Montreal
41.	Annual meetings of the Boards of Governors of the World Bank Group and the International Monetary Fund	6 October	Washington, D.C.
42.	UNESCO, Executive Board	October	Paris
43.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-sixth session	October/November	To be determined
44.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-seventh session	October/November	To be determined
45.	UNWTO, General Assembly, eighteenth session	October/November	To be determined
46.	ICAO, Council	9 November-4 December	Montreal
47.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee	23-25 November	Vienna
48.	IAEA, Board of Governors	26 and 27 November	Vienna
49.	FAO, Council	November	Rome

	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*
50.	FAO, Conference	November	Rome
51.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	November	Geneva
52.	IMO, Council Extraordinary Session	November	London
53.	IMO, Assembly	November	London
54.	IMO, Council	November	London
55.	Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, fourteenth session	November	The Hague
56.	UNIDO, General Conference, thirteenth session	7-11 December	Vienna
57.	FAO, Council	December	Rome
58.	IFAD, Executive Board	December	Rome
59.	International Seabed Authority, Assembly, fifteenth session	To be determined	Kingston
60.	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council	To be determined	The Hague
61.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court	To be determined	The Hague
62.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, Budget and Finance Committee	To be determined	The Hague

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